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1. FOLLOWING NOTE NO. 138 DATED AUGUST 12, 1975 RECEIVED FROM
MINEXTAFF BY THE EMBASSY AT 4:30 PM, AUGUST 12:

BEGIN TEXT: (COMPLIMENTARY OPENING) TO REFER TO THE EMBASSY'S
NOTE NO. 99 OF THE 11TH AUGUST, 1975, CONCERNING DISCUSSIONS
BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS WHICH WILL COMMENCE ON 13TH AUGUST,
1975.

THE MINISTRY NOTES THE EMBASSY'S COMMENTS WITH REGARD TO THE
AGENDA AND HAS THE HONOUR TO SUGGEST THE FOLLOWING AGENDA
FOR THE MEETING OF THE 13TH AUGUST, 1975.

1. INTRODUCTION

(A) OPENING STATEMENT BY CHAIRMAN OF THE BAHAMAS DELEGATION.

(B) OPENING STATEMENT BY CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION.

2. PROCEDURE

(A) RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS.

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KB) PRESS STATEMENTS.

3. SUBSTANTIVE MATTERS

(1) STATEMENT BY THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION INDICATING:

(A) THE PROBLEMS WHICH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT PERCEIVES TO EXIST BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS.

(B) WHICH OF THESE PROBLEMS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT THINK THE BAHAMAS GOVERNMENT ARE IN A POSITION TO ASSIST IN SOLVING.

(C) WHAT STEPS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HAVE TAKEN OR CAN TAKE TO SOLVE THE PROBLEMS WHICH THEY THINK WE MAY BE IN A POSITION TO ASSIST IN SOLVING.

(D) WHAT MEASURES THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WISHES TO REQUEST THAT THE BAHAMAS TAKE TO SOLVE THESE PROBLEMS.

(2) DISCUSSION TO CLARIFY OR AMPLIFY STATEMENTS ON THE ABOVE MATTERS.

THE BAHAMAS GOVERNMENT WOULD LIKE TO REITERATE THE PROPOSAL PREVIOUSLY ADVANCED ORALLY ON SEVERAL OCCASSIONS BY THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS THAT IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO THE FACILITATION OF THE DISCUSSIONS IF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT COMMUNICATED TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS ITS FORMAL PROPOSALS WHICH WOULD REQUIRE FORMAL CONSIDERATION BY THE BAHAMAS GOVERNMENT PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF DISCUSSIONS SO AS TO ENABLE THE BAHAMAS GOVERNMENT SUFFICIENT TIME TO CONSIDER THESE PROPOSALS BEFORE IT IS ABLE TO RESPOND TO THEM.

(COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE) END TEXT.

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